

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Edward E. Kelley et al. )  
Serial No. 10/605,572 ) Group Art Unit: 2154  
Filed: October 9, 2003 ) Examiner: Nguyen, Dustin  
For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND STORAGE ) Confirmation No.2571  
MEDIUM FOR PROVIDING )  
INTEROPERABILITY OF EMAIL AND )  
INSTANT MESSAGING SERVICES )

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 10, 2007, Applicants are resubmitting the Response filed October 3, 2007.

As the claims have not been amended from their original form, Applicants believe a claim listing was not required in the Response. The claim listing was provided in the Response only for the Examiner's convenience. As no claim listing was required, Applicants believe the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, indicating that the Response was non-compliant because that status of claim 36 was not indicated, was sent in error. Nonetheless, in an effort to expedite prosecution, the Response has been modified to indicate the status of claim 36.